

Bringing the County Closer to You!

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#### **December 11, 2015**



Montgomery County Police Officer Noah Leotta: End of Watch - December 10, 2015

# Police Chief Tom Manger speaks on the loss of Officer Noah Leotta Watch video from YouTube.

It is with profound sadness that the Police Department shares that Montgomery County Police Officer Noah Leotta succumbed to injuries he sustained when he was struck by a driver suspected of driving under the influence of drugs and alcohol on <a href="December 3">December 3</a>. On the night that he was struck, Officer Leotta was working as a member of the annual <a href="Holiday Alcohol Task Force">Holiday English Force</a>. These officers devote their full time and attention to detecting alcohol-related offenses during the holiday season.

See press release at <a href="http://www.mymcpnews.com/2015/12/10/montgomery-county-police-officer-noah-leotta-end-of-watch-december-10-2015">http://www.mymcpnews.com/2015/12/10/montgomery-county-police-officer-noah-leotta-end-of-watch-december-10-2015</a>

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## **Upcounty Citizens Advisory Board General Meeting**

Monday, December 14 7:00pm Upcounty Regional Services Center 12900 Middlebrook Road, Germantown

Topic: Updates on Recommendations from Ad Hoc Committee on Liquor Control

Guests: Councilmember Hans Riemer, Chair, Council's Ad Hoc Committee on Liquor Control;

George Griffin, Director, Dept. of Liquor Control

Topic: Nighttime Economy Task Force Recommendations

Guest: Lily Qi, Office of the County Executive

Sign language interpreter services will be provided only upon request with notice as far in advance as possible, but no less than 72 hours prior to the event. If these or other services or aids are needed to participate in this activity, please call 240-777-8040 or email a request to catherine.matthews@montgomerycountymd.gov.

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# Live Discussion with County Executive Ike Leggett Tuesday, December 15 1:00pm-2:00pm

Montgomery County Executive Ike Leggett will hold a "virtual" town hall meeting and County residents will be able to ask questions of the County Executive before and during the chat at <u>Live Discussion</u> with Ike Leggett.

Questions and answers will be posted both during and after the chat. For more information, call the Office of Public Information at 240-777-6507. **Submit Your Question** 

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## Council PHED Committee Worksession Scheduled for Montgomery Village Master Plan January 11 2:00pm Council Office Building, 7<sup>th</sup> floor Hearing Room

100 Maryland Avenue, Rockville

The Committee Agenda is subject to change any time after printing or during the meeting. Please contact the Council Office or visit the website to obtain daily updates.

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### **Local Liquor Control**

What You Need to Know about Montgomery's Local Liquor operations... Check out the facts (pdf)

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## **Presentation from Damascus Community Meeting** (November 30, 2015)

Montgomery County Planners recently co-hosted a community meeting in Damascus with the County's Upcounty Regional Office Director to discuss the Damascus Master Plan and projects that are currently in the development process.

Map of Area 3

For more information, view the slide presentation that provides details discussed at the meeting.

If you have questions, contact Kipling Reynolds, Chief of Planning Area 3, Kipling.Reynolds@mncppc-mc.org

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## Montgomery County's Tree Montgomery Provided Hundreds of Free Shade Trees to Residents

Tree Montgomery, developed and implemented by DEP, provides free shade trees to increase canopy coverage and raise awareness of the benefits of trees. Restoring our natural canopies improves our watersheds by reducing sediment and other pollutants into our streams, improves air quality, and provides a more aesthetic environment.

The program began this past spring. Single-family homes, businesses, multi-family properties, and homeowner associations (except in Rockville and Gaithersburg) are eligible to request free shade trees from the County. The trees planted through the program are 10-12 feet tall when installed and will grow to over 50 feet tall when fully mature. DEP provides two years of free aftercare, including watering and pruning.

For more information or to request a free shade tree go to TreeMontgomery.org.

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#### **Attention Youth Development Practitioners!**

In January 2016, Montgomery County's **Excel Beyond the Bell** Program is offering three free Workshops to Youth Development Practitioners who work at programs in Montgomery County. The workshops are:

- Advancing Youth Development;
- Youth Mental Health First Aid; and
- Into the Rainbow: Understanding Sexuality and Gender to Promote Social-Emotional Wellness.

For details, visit <a href="http://www.collaborationcouncil.org">http://www.collaborationcouncil.org</a> Please note you must register for each workshop separately.

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### Santa's Visiting Upcounty!



Saturday, December 12, from 11 am until 3 pm Hyattstown Vol. Fire Dept. 25801 Frederick Rd, Clarksburg

Wednesday, December 16 Riding through Germantown's town center between 9:00am-9:30am A brief stop at the Upcounty Regional Services Center around 9:15am 12900 Middlebrook Road, Germantown

Bring the kids and your camera!

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County Council http://www6.montgomerycountymd.gov/csltmpl.asp?url=/content/council/news/news.asp

Planning Board http://www.montgomeryplanning.org/department/news\_releases

#### Also check out the latest from:

Department of Public Libraries <a href="http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/library">http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/library</a>

Department of Recreation http://www6.montgomerycountymd.gov/rectmpl.asp?url=/content/rec/index.asp

Department of Transportation <a href="http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/dot/index.html">http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/dot/index.html</a>

Department of Environmental Protection http://www6.montgomerycountymd.gov/deatmpl.asp?url=/content/dep/dephome/index.asp

Department of Permitting Services <a href="http://permittingservices.montgomerycountymd.gov/DPS/general/Home.aspx">http://permittingservices.montgomerycountymd.gov/DPS/general/Home.aspx</a>

Montgomery County Volunteer Center <a href="http://www.montgomeryserves.org">http://www.montgomeryserves.org</a>

Office of Community Partnerships <a href="http://archive.constantcontact.com/fs100/1102184431012/archive/1117215431562.html">http://archive.constantcontact.com/fs100/1102184431012/archive/1117215431562.html</a>

Commission for Women <a href="http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/cfw/index.html">http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/cfw/index.html</a>